

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: **KIHARA**

SERIAL NO.: 10/531,179

FILED: 11 Apr 2005

FOR: A nonwoven fabric containing sheath core type ...

CONFIRMATION NO. 6276

GROUP ART UNIT:

EXAMINER:

ATTY. REFERENCE: KIH3002/FJD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA. 22202-3514

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

- ☒ One Month                      ☐ Three Months  
☐ Two Months                      ☐ Four Months  
☐ Five Months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 120.

- ☒ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant is a **small entity** entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.  
A verified small entity statement ☐ has been filed. ☐ is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

- ☒ National Phase Transmittal (2nd submission)  
Executed Declaration  
Assignment

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Respectfully submitted,



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